Office of Statewide Health Planning & Development

1600 9th Street Sacramento, CA 95214 Job Opportunity Bulletin: #02-124

Final Filing Date: December 18, 2002

or until filled

Position: Salary: Location:

Senior Structural Engineer/ Structural Engineering Associate* FREEZE EXEMPTION APPROVED

\$5324 - \$6467

Facilities Development Division 1600 Ninth Street, Room 420 Sacramento, CA 95814

General Statement:

Under the general direction of the Supervisor, HFR, the Senior Structural Engineer will assess and recommend approval of evaluation and compliance plans to comply with the requirements of Senate Bill 1953 (SB 1953).

Duties:

- Assess and recommend approval of SB 1953 required evaluations and compliance plans.
- Develop and recommend policies, procedures, and guidelines pertaining to the review and approval of SB 1953 related building plans
 and health facility construction for use by the hospital industry and OSHPD staff.
- Represent the Office, as directed, during meetings with health industry representatives (i.e., organization groups, owners and their consultants) and other governmental agencies.
- Provide structural engineering consultation, expert technical guidance and assistance in interpreting building standards. Respond to inquiries on code interpretation and application.
- Develop and recommend appropriate amendments to regulations through the code change process and office PIN's and CAN's
 process as appropriate.

Desirable Qualifications:

- Knowledge and experience in structural design and construction methods.
- Knowledge and experience in interpreting requirements governing design and construction of health care facilities in California.
- Ability to handle code enforcement issues with architects, engineers and health care facility owners.
- Ability to apply technical skills to formulate practical solutions in resolving structural plan review issues.
- Knowledge and experience in retrofit of existing structures.
- Good writing and oral communication skills.
- Excellent interpersonal skills.
- Ability to handle stressful or sensitive issues with tact and diplomacy

Who May Apply:

Applications will be accepted from candidates currently eligible for lateral transfer or list appointment to this class. Applicants with list appointment should attach a copy of their notice of test results. Appointments are subject to SROA and State surplus policies. Only the most qualified candidates will be interviewed.

* May consider downgrading to Structural Engineering Associate (\$4,635 - \$5,632) for recruitment purposes. Applications will also be accepted from candidates currently eligible for lateral transfer or list appointment to the Structural Engineering Associate classification. However, an amended freeze exemption approval will be required prior to appointment.

Interested parties should submit a standard State application form #678 and a resume to: OSHPD - Facilities Development Division
Attention: Nikole Freeman, **Job Opr. 02-124**1600 Ninth Street, Room 420
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For further information contact Stephanie Kimball at 653-8440.